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SUBJECT: EXTENSION BY PROTOCOL OF INTERNATIONAL WHEAT AGREEMENT

REF: STATE 25344

1. ON FEB. 4 EMBOFFS MADE REPRESENTATIONS AS REQUESTED REFTEL TO FONOFF (1ST INTL. ORGS. DIV., BUREAU OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS) AND MIN. OF AG. AND FORESTRY (INTL. AFFAIRS DIV.). REPS. OF BOTH MINISTRIES CONFIRMED GOJ AGREEMENT (AS INDICATED REFTEL) WITH US POSITION FAVORING TWO YEAR EXTENSION OF FOOD AID CONVENTION AND WHEAT TRADE CONVENTION. THEY NOTED THAT JAPAN, LIKE US, FINDS ANNUAL LEGISLATIVE RATIFICATION OF EXTENSION OF AGREEMENT BURDENSOME AND DIFFICULT TO COORDINATE WITH BUDGETARY CYCLE.

2. FONOFF REP. STATED THAT JAPANESE MISSION IN BRUSSELS HAS REPORTED EC TO BE AGREEABLE TO TWO-YEAR EXTENSION, HOWEVER, HE EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT MANY LDC'S CAN BE WON OVER TO THIS POSITION.

3. GOJ REP. AT FEB. 18-20 FOOD AID CONVENTION MEETING WILL BE ECONCOUNS. FUJITA, JAPANESE EMBASSY LONDON.
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